



Patons

FAIRYTALE DK

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8360

38-56 cm

14-22 in

First 3 sizes
take only one

**Magic
Value**

100g ball

**tiny
sizes**

for early arrivals



To fit chest

36	41	46	51	56	cm
14	16	18	20	22	in (approx)

Garment measures

38	44	49	53	58	cm
15	17½	19½	21	23	in (approx)

Length from top of shoulders, approx

18	20	23	26	30	cm
7	8	9	10	12	in

Length from centre back of neck to cuff

22	25	29	34	40	cm
8½	10	11½	13½	15½	in (approx)

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2	2	2	3	3	50 gram balls or
1	1	1	2	2	100 gram 'Magic Value' balls

Quantities of yarn are approximate as they are based on average requirements. Check the actual yarn colour – as printing may not match yarn exactly.

We recommend Milward or Susan Bates knitting needles.

Pair each Nos 3¼ mm and 4 mm needles.

3 [3, 3, 4, 4] buttons.

Tension

On No 4 mm needles, 22 sts and 30 rows to 10 cm (stocking st).

Important

It is essential to check your tension before starting your garment. If there are too many stitches to 10 cm, your tension is tight and you should change to a larger size needle. If there are too few, your tension is loose and you should change to a smaller size needle.

Caution

It is essential to work to the stated tension, and we cannot accept responsibility for the finished product if any yarn other than the specified yarns is used.

Abbreviations

K=knit; P=purl; st=stitch; tog=together; dec=decrease by working 2 stitches together; beg=beginning; rep=repeat; cm=centimetres; in=inches; mm=millimetres; sL1K=slip 1 knitways; yfwd=yarn forward; yrn=yarn round needle; pssso=pass slip stitch over; patt=pattern; 0=no row.

M1=make a stitch by picking up horizontal loop lying before next stitch and working into back of it.

FRONT AND BACK

(Worked in one piece)

With No 3¼ mm needles, cast on 39 [45, 51, 55, 61] sts and work in rib as follows:

1st row—(Right side), K1, * P1, K1; rep from * to end.

2nd row—P1, * K1, P1; rep from * to end.

Rep these 2 rows until work measures 3 [3, 3, 4, 4] cm, ending with a 1st row.

Next row—P10 [11, 13, 14, 15], M1, P19 [23, 25, 27, 31], M1, P to end (41 [47, 53, 57, 63] sts).

Change to No 4 mm needles and work in **patt** as follows: **1st row**—(Right side), K16 [19, 22, 24, 27], yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K3, yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K16 [19, 22, 24, 27].

2nd row—P.

3rd row—K19 [22, 25, 27, 30], yfwd, sL1K, K2tog, pssso, yfwd, K19 [22, 25, 27, 30].

4th row—P.

These 4 rows form patt.

Continue in patt for a further 16 [20, 26, 28, 34] rows.

Keeping continuity of patt, **shape sleeves** by casting on 5 [5, 8, 8, 9] sts at beg of next 8 [8, 4, 10, 4] rows (81 [87, 85, 137, 99] sts).

2nd, 3rd and 5th sizes: Cast on [4, 7, 8] sts at beg of next [2, 4, 8] rows ([95, 113, 163] sts).

All sizes: Work 8 [8, 12, 12, 16] rows, thus ending with right side facing for next row.

Divide for neck as follows: **Next row**—K36 [43, 52, 63, 76], turn and leave remaining 45 [52, 61, 74, 87] sts on a spare needle.

Continue on these sts for first side dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 [4, 4, 5, 5] rows (33 [39, 48, 58, 71] sts).

Work 0 [1, 1, 2, 2] rows.

Shape shoulder opening as follows: **Next row**—K20 [26, 35, 43, 56], cast off remaining 13 [13, 13, 15, 15] sts.

Rejoin yarn, continue on these sts and work 7 rows.

Break yarn and leave these 20 [26, 35, 43, 56] sts on a spare needle.

With right side facing, rejoin yarn to 45 [52, 61, 74, 87] sts on spare needle, cast off 9 [9, 9, 11, 11] sts, K to end.

Continue on these sts for second side, dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 [4, 4, 5, 5] rows (33 [39, 48, 58, 71] sts).

Work 8 [9, 9, 10, 10] rows.

Break yarn and leave these 33 [39, 48, 58, 71] sts on a spare needle.

With right side facing, rejoin yarn to 20 [26, 35, 43, 56] sts on spare needle, K across these sts, cast on 13 [13, 13, 15, 15] sts, place a marker in

last st, cast on a further 16 [18, 18, 22, 22] sts, K33 [39, 48, 58, 71] sts from spare needle (82 [96, 114, 138, 164] sts).

Starting with a P row, work in stocking st for 13 [15, 19, 21, 25] rows, thus ending with right side facing for next row.

Shape sleeves by casting off 5 [4, 7, 8, 8] sts at beg of next 8 [2, 4, 10, 8] rows (42 [88, 86, 58, 100] sts).

2nd, 3rd and 5th sizes: Cast off [5, 8, 9] sts at beg of next [8, 4, 4] rows ([48, 54, 64] sts).

All sizes: Work a further 18 [22, 28, 30, 36] rows.

Change to No 3¼ mm needles and **dec** as follows: **Next row**—K6 [7, 8, 9, 10], (K2tog, K12 [14, 16, 17, 19]) twice, K2tog, K to end (39 [45, 51, 55, 61] sts).

Starting and ending with a 2nd row, work in rib as before for 3 [3, 3, 4, 4] cm.

Using a No 4 mm needle, cast off evenly in rib.

MAKE UP, BORDERS AND CUFFS

Do not press.

Note

For extra comfort, we recommend this garment be made up with a flat seam.

Neck Border: With right side facing and No 3¼ mm needles, **knit up** 4 [6, 6, 8, 8] sts down left side of front neck, 10 [10, 10, 12, 12] sts across front, 10 [12, 12, 14, 14] sts up right side of neck, then 17 [19, 19, 23, 23] sts to marker (41 [47, 47, 57, 57] sts).

Starting and ending with a 2nd row, work in rib as on Front and Back for 3 [3, 4, 4, 4] cm.

Using a No 4 mm needle, cast off loosely in rib.

Fold Neck Border in half to wrong side and slip-hem loosely in position.

Button Border: With No 3¼ mm needles, cast on 7 sts and work in rib as follows: **1st row**—(Right side), K2, (P1, K1) twice, K1.

2nd row—K1, (P1, K1) 3 times.

Rep these 2 rows until Border, when slightly stretched, fits across left back shoulder to top of Neck Border.

Sew in position as you go along.

Cast off evenly in rib.

Buttonhole Border: Work as for Button Border with the addition of 3 [3, 3, 4, 4] buttonholes, first to come 1 cm up from lower edge, last to come at centre of Neck Border and remaining 1 [1, 1, 2, 2] spaced evenly between.

First mark position of buttons on Button Border with pins to ensure even spacing, then work buttonholes to correspond.

To make a buttonhole: (Right side), K2, P1, yrn, P2tog, K2.

Place Buttonhole Border over Button Border and neatly stitch at side edge.

Cuffs (2): With right side facing and No 3¼ mm needles, **knit up** 23 [25, 29, 31, 33] sts evenly along lower edge of sleeves.

Starting and ending with a 2nd row, work in rib as on Front and Back for 3 cm.

Using a No 4 mm needle, cast off evenly in rib.

Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew on buttons.

Do not dry handknits in harsh sunlight as fading or yellowing may occur.

We shall be happy to deal with your queries if you write to Sarah Bell, Patons & Baldwins Limited, Alloa, Scotland, enclosing a ball band of the yarn specified and a stamped addressed envelope.

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